

Seme Histeric Happenings of January

The first month in the year has always been a fateful one in English history, but it began most specially to he recognised as such during the reign of Charles I. It was on January 4. 1642, that the attempt was made to arrest the five members. On the tenth of the month, three years later, Archbishop Laud, was beheaded, and January 30, 1649, saw the king's own head laid upon the block.

There is probably no act of parliament which has ever been the cause of such amazing dissensions and discord as that which brought about the union between Great Britain and Ire land. This came into force upon January 1, 1801. It was in the same month that Richard Trevithick, the Cornish inventor, perfected the first steam locomotive which ever moved upon an English road.

The great William Pitt, the most able prime minister who ever controlled the destinles of the kingdom, came into office at Christmas, 1783. and died in January, 1806. His great rival, Charles James Fox, born in January, 1749, only survived Pitt six months.

One of the greatest boons that a nation ever received from its government was conferred upon Great Britain on January 1, 1840-namely, penny postage. Adhesive stamps had been invented by Mr. James Chalmers of Dundee, six years previously, and these superseded Mulready's envelope later in the same year.

January has for a long time past been a very notable month in the histery of the British royal family. On January 25, 1858, the Princess Royal was married to Prince Frederick William of Prussia. The German kaiser was born in January, 1859.

Prince Henry of Battenberg's death occurred on January 20, 1896, and the duke of Teck's life came to an end on the twenty-first of the month, 1900.

One year later, on January 22, 1901 came the end of the most famous reign in English or any other history. Queen Victoria died at 6:30 on the fateful evening.

In northern latitudes no nation fights in winter if it can possibly be avoided, and yet January has seen some of the toughest struggles of modern war. January, 1871, holds the rec-ord for flerce fighting. During that month there were no fewer than six terrific battles between the French and the Germans. The last was Gen. Trochu's grand sortie from Paris, which ended in his defeat and in the extinction of the last hopes of Paris and her citizens.

A Resolution □ for □ New Year's

zen could make for the new year would be the resolution to live more faithfully by the golden rule, that sublime principle of conduct for this world and for all worlds. Failure to live by this law causes the chief sorrows and collisions among men, says Edwin Markham in Success.

Let each earnest man search into his words and ways, determined to find the special manner in which he breaks the golden law-his special habit that works injustice or unhappiness in his shop, his office, his home, his city. He will find, perhaps, that in the shop he is in the habit of misplacing tools, and this hinders the work of his comrades; that in the office he is in the habit of being late in keeping appointments, and thus steals other people's time; that in the club he is in the habit of belittling worthy competitors, and thus joins the gang of thieves who steal reputations; that in the home he is in the habit of monopolizing the conversation, and thus fails to draw out the powers of others; that in the city he is in the habit of spitting on the sidewalk, and thus spoils the comfort of his townsmen; that in business he is in the habit of misrepresenting his goods. and thus robs under the cover of cus-

The Child of the Year



Officers Elected

All Fraternal societies in Slater officers for 1910.

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For Sale!

Livery, horse and mule barn, known as the Conway barn, paying \$50 per month on \$5,500 investment.

1 acre of ground with two sets of buildings-1 two-story house of 7 rooms and basement, barn, wood and coal house, chicken house, etc. 1 3-room house, stable, wood and coal house, shade trees, fruit of various kinds.

131-3 acres of land 1 mile from College Add., 6 acres in fruit, mostly winter apples, young bearing

WM. MITCHELL, Dec). Cor. Redman and Mitchell

It I Were Rich I'd Get -Dillard, the barber a razor sharp,

And Morgan Pummill a new Jew's harp.

get Grandpa Stemmons a rocking chair, Gail Smith and Will Eckles each

new suite of hair. get Glenn Robertson a suite of the same a new face for Joe Longan,

tho' he's not to blame I'd get Sport Smith a wife, of that

be sure. And Bening a bottle of hook worm cure.

I'd get Ches Hinds a pair of legs his are in such a crooked state. And Will (Dutch) Wilson, a form

that's up-to-date. l'd get Flave Bodenhamer some

anti-fat. The noblest resolution that any citi- He needs it badly, I'm sure of that. I'd get for myself-Oh, joy! Oh, bliss!

> I'll get what's coming when those guys read this.

-The Houstonian.

A Thrilling Rescue

How Bert R. Lean, of Cheny, death is a story to thrill the world baffled an expert doc.or here. Then cost. "Just one kiss," the merhelp me. Then I went to California, would pay you when she came in but without benefit. At last I used Dr. King's New Discovery which completely cured me and now I am as well as ever." For Lung Trou- said a thin little Brighton man to ble, Bronchitis, Coughs and Colds, his wife. "This paper says that Asthma, Croup and Whooping there is a woman down in Devon-Cough its supreme. 50c and \$1,00. shire who goes out and chops wood Trial bottle bottle free. Guaranteed by P. H. Franklin.

Gone to California

Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Jones and sons, Byrdine and Maurice, left Wednesday evening for Merced, California, where they will make their home. Mr. Jones is interested in a land company at that place

For the past five years Mr. Jones has had possession of Linwood lawn and was considered one of the county's most prosperous farm ers. He sold the place last spring to a capitalist from near St. Joseph The Joneses have many friends here, who wish them unbounded uccess .- Lexington Intelligencer.

Trouble Makers Ousted.

When a sufferer from stomach frouble takes Dr. King's New Life Pills he's mighty glad to see his Dyspepsia and Indigestion fly, but more he's tickled over his new fine H. Franklin's,

Globe-Democrat, \$1.50 per year.

Routed by Bees

To be troubled by bees at a Christ mas entertainment is very unusual, but such was the case at the First Presbyterian church last Thursday evening. There is a swarm of bees housed between the ceiling and roof and the church had been kept warm all day for the ladies to decorate the tree. At night hundreds of the buzzy little bees came out and hovered about the tree and lights. When the program was well begun, Supt. H. C. Francisco and several of the children were stung and the program was cut short in order to avoil any further attacks from the "pesky critters."

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Threatens to Cut Off Lights

Sedalia, Mo. Dec. 22,-The Sedalia Light and Traction Company issued an ultimatum to the city of Sedalia today that unless the council repealed an ordinance passed at the last meeting, fixing the max imum price for street lighting at \$60 per arc light per annum, the company would cease its service on December 31 and plunge the city in darkness.

The traction company has had no contract with the city but has been furnishing light at \$75 per annum for each arc lamp, and the ultimatum is issued to force the city to enter into a contract for a number of years at a rate satisfactory to the company.

Catarrh Cannot be Cured

stitutional disease, and in order to to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is medicine. It was prescribed by one certainly was a most distressing of the best physicians in this coun- accident and one of most excruciabest tonics known, combined with mament injury. the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing Catarrh Send for testimonials free.

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Press Clippings

It had been raining all day and finally little Lola asked: "Mamma when God gets all the juice squeez ed out of a cloud what does he do with it?"

Housekeeper: A little girl of Wash, was saved from a frightful about seven entered the store the other day to procure some cloth to "A hard cold," he writes, "brought make her dolly a dress. When on a desperate lung trouble that handed the package she asked the I paid \$10 to \$15 a visit to a lung chant answered. "All right," was specialist in Spokane, who did not her reply. "Grandma said she

> London Answers: "My dear," with husband," "Well, what of it? I think she could easily do it if he is as thin as you are. I have often thought of using you to peel potatoes with." The thin man laid down his paper with a sigh that sounded like the squeak of apenny whistle.

> Sheridan Advance: Persons who believe in luck and signs will doubt less agree that it is unlucky to be struck by lightning on Monday, or take hold of a circular saw in motion on Tuesday, or tumble down stairs with a coal scuttle on Wednesday, or be hit by a cable car on Thursday, or have a brick wall fall on you Friday, or marry a girl who swings ten pound dumb bells Saturday or be one of the thirteen at dinner on Sunday when there is food for only ten.

Brookfield Gazette: If fame was what the St. Louis pastor who advocated two-hour services was afappetite, strong nerves healthy vig ter, he has landed it alright. Every or, all because stomach, liver and newspaper from New York to Calkidneys now work right. 26c at P. ifornia and from Florida to Maine has taken a shot at the reverend gentleman for intimating that a Subscribe for the Republican and two hour sermon is more impor-lobe-Democrat, \$1.50 per year. tant than a Sunday dinner.



Villisca Letter: Last Tuesday afternoon little Miss Lola Henry In passing along the Villisca Nawith LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as tional building she inadvertantly they cannot reach the seat of the pressed her tongue against the iron try for years and is a regular pre- ting pain, but it is to be hoped

Exact Copy of Wrapper

Small Elmer was playing with his mother's opera glasses. Happening to look at her through the who was on her way from school big end he exclaimed: "Oh, mama, suffered quite a painful accident, you are so far away you look like a distant relative!"

Tommy aged 5, had asked his disease. Catarrh is a blood or con- post in the railing and owing to mother for a second piece of pie the zero weather the tongue was at dinner. "When I was your size, at once frozen fast to the iron. Her said his father reprovingly, "My mother allowed me to have only taken internally, and acts directly cries brought help, and a cup of one piece of pie." "Say, papa," on the blood and mucous surfaces, hot water soon relieved the little rejoined the little fellow, "aren't Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quack girl from her pain and fright. It you glad you board with us now."

FOR RENT -Office rooms over scription. It is composed of the that Lola will not suffer any per- Tillery's pharma.y. See Sharp &

New Year Prospects.

This is the season when we inevitable look back at the incidents of the passing year and forward to the plans and prospects of the young one just begin-

The year 1909 has been gratifying in all respects to the FARMERS SAVINGS BANK Our growth has been very satisfactory and our associations most pleasant. To all our friends, whether customers of the bank now or not, we are sincerely grateful for considerations shown and have tried to merit their favor by rendering adequate service,

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